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# POLISH ARMY IS ADVANCING ON BERLIN

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

**COPENHAGEN, Jan. 2.**—A Polish army of thirty thousand men is marching on Berlin, according to a dispatch received here quoting rumors at the German capital. Gustave Noske, member of the Ebert cabinet, in charge of military affairs, is said to have ordered the Fifth German Division to meet the Poles.

## FIRM RULE IN BERLIN.

**Allied Troops Not Believed Needed.**

**Ebert Thought Strong Enough to Control Till Assembly is Elected.**

**Forty Airplanes Surrendered to Americans by Huns at Coblenz.**

BY EDWIN L. JAMES. [ATLANTIC CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.] COBLENZ, Jan. 1.—The general opinion among the American army is that it will not be necessary to send troops to Berlin for police duty.

His opinion is based on reliable information coming through good channels. The impression here is that the Huns can hold the reins until elections on January 19, which will show whether the moderates will control the coming national assembly. If they gain control of the assembly, it will be taken to mean that Germany is on the fair road to a stable republican government.

There remains, of course, the possibility that in the event of accession by the Bolsheviks to control in Berlin and the disorder which is thought inevitable in such a case, the Allied command will find it necessary to send troops to the German capital; in fact, it is believed that it would be difficult to request the Huns to surrender. But at present it looks unlikely as the situation is now here.

**AIRPLANES SURRENDERED.** [BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.] COBLENZ, Tuesday, Dec. 31.—Forty airplanes, including seven Gothaes said to have been used in the bombing of Paris, were accepted today by the American army receiving commission. Two hundred airplanes are now in Coblenz or on the way and all of them soon will be taken to France. German aviators are being kept busy testing the planes before acceptance.

Twenty-five hundred machine guns also were accepted today.

PARIS, Jan. 1.—All the correspondence of the former German Emperor which was kept at Potsdam had been burned, as well as a number of documents dealing with internal questions, according to a statement made to a correspondent of the Matin by Karl Kautsky, who was preparing a white book dealing with the origin of the German revolution.

Kautsky said the book would contain all diplomatic documents bearing on the war from the assassination of Francis Ferdinand to the invasion of Belgium. It would be in three or four volumes and the first volume would appear within fifteen days. The book will contain many papers annotated in pencil in the handwriting of the former Emperor.

## Later Dispatches

**Creel Going to Italy.**

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.] PARIS, Jan. 1.—George Creel, chairman of the Committee on Public Information, is accompanying President Wilson to Italy. Before leaving for Rome, President Wilson paid a call on Mme. Poincare at the Elysee Palace in return for the New Year's visit. President Poincare paid Mrs. Wilson in the morning.

**Hunt Red Chief.**

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.] BERLIN, Jan. 1.—Diligent search was made for M. Radek, head of the Bolshevik mission to Germany, through Berlin today. He was not discovered and it is believed that he is hiding here. His presence in Berlin is causing the majority Socialists a considerable amount of embarrassment and the subject was discussed at today's meeting of the Cabinet.

**Americans Receive.**

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.] PARIS, Jan. 1.—Mrs. Robert Lansing, wife of the American Secretary of State, Mrs. House, wife of Col. Edward M. House, and Mrs. Grew, wife of Joseph C. Grew of the American peace conference, today on the occasion of New Year's, received formally their guests being various attaches of the Peace Conference, American war veterans, members of the Red Cross and newspaper correspondents.

PARIS, Jan. 1.—The newspapers of today, both morning and afternoon, print their customary leading editorials of the New Year and almost without exception carry their text from the advent of peace. Most of the journals hail 1919 as "the year of peace." The socialist newspapers, however, strike a pessimistic note in speaking of what they call the divergencies in the views between President Wilson and Premier Clemenceau. Other newspapers of moderate opinions, as well as those of national unifying, appear to take inspiration from the Premier's utterances and say that the peace will be effective in proportion as the guarantees such as are asked for by M. Clemenceau, are assured.

The Temps, which refers to President Wilson as "a worthy heir to the pilgrims of the Mayflower," says: "It is necessary to work for a new order of things—for the reign of justice in the world. The more we believe in that ideal the more we must apply ourselves to give it basis in conformity with experience. Its real apostles are not dreamers. They are realists, like the pilgrims of the Mayflower."

**"MIDWINTER" TO BE OUT JAN. 28.**

**Great Special Number of "The Times" Bigger, Better than Ever Before.**

The annual Midwinter Number of The Times, bigger and better than ever before, will be published on January 28. Hitherto it has been the custom of The Times to issue its special number on New Year's day. War conditions, however, combined this year to cause an unavoidable delay in assembling certain vital portions of it.

The Midwinter Number contains exactly the information you desire to send to the folks back East on every phase of life in this favored clime. It is worth waiting for.

## WEEKS LOST IN PROVINCES

**Bolivia Appeals to United States.**

**Asks Washington to Investigate Manner in Which Chile Took Her Seaports.**

**Demands Outlet to Ocean to Expand; Peace Table may Hear Claim.**

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.] WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—The government of Bolivia has sent to Paris the evidence upon which that country bases its claims arising out of the Tacna and Arica disputes between Chile and Peru, it was stated authoritatively today.

Bolivia admits that she was defeated by Chile in the war between Chile and Peru, but she refused to sign a treaty of peace until twenty years after the examination of the evidence. Bolivia formally concluded peace with Chile. Bolivia as a result of the war lost Antofagasta, her only outlet to the sea, and ever since, according to the statement of a diplomatic authority today, she has been stifled as a nation.

**WANTS OUTLET TO SEA.**

Bolivia now proposes to see if what she considers the wrong done her in the last century cannot be righted through an examination of the controversy by a properly-constituted tribunal. Bolivia's chief claim is that she is given an outlet to the sea in order to develop her resources. By treaty arrangements with Peru and Chile, Bolivia has a free port at Antofagasta and also at Mollendo, the latter in Peru, but she insists that this is not sufficient.

It is considered certain by Latin American diplomats here that the Tacna-Arica question will be brought up at the peace congress in Paris. It was learned today that among the advisers who went to France with President Wilson were experts on Chile and Peru.

**MAY DEMAND PLEBISCITE.**

It is stated here in official circles that Chile would not be surprised if the United States proposed an international tribunal to be set up by the peace congress, called upon to execute the provision of the treaty of Antofagasta, which marked the end of the war between Chile and Peru. It is a plebiscite to be held in ten years, to decide whether Tacna and Arica should remain Chilean territory or be returned to Peru.

The nation losing the provinces would have to pay to the other \$10,000,000.

## DIRE PERIL IN POLAND

**Between Hun, Red Nation's Fate.**

**Allies Must Intervene with Men and Money to Make Europe Safe Now.**

**German Menace Faces Poland and Russia When Bolsheviks are Tamed.**

BY GERTRUDE ATHERTON. [ATLANTIC CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.] PARIS, Dec. 31.—[Delayed.] Although conferences are at a standstill for the moment owing to the holidays, there is a continuous buzz of speculation over the first subjects to be treated by the peace congress and much contention as to priority of claims. After hearing all sides and almost with equal sympathy, it is impossible not to come to the conclusion that the Polish question is the most important of the peace negotiations in general and the well-being of Europe are concerned.

Our sympathies with Poland have been largely sentimental. Once a great powerful nation, she was bitterly wronged in the partition and during the recent war was devastated more thoroughly by the Germans than France or Belgium. The eloquent speech of Paderewski opened many purposes in the United States and inspired still more the good wishes for a union of the three severed parts.

So far so good, and no doubt the great nations will keep their pledges to restore to the smaller and oppressed peoples their ancient right. But that is a question for tomorrow and the Polish situation at the moment is acute and, if treated with indifference, it may result in a chaos for a large part of Europe.

The Bolshevik army is in Poland's eastern border. The German army under Gen. Hoffmann, estimated at from 400,000 to 600,000, is in the northeastern part. The Germans are sympathetic with the Bolsheviks or are using them for their own purposes.

Gen. Pilsudski has a small local army in Poland, but few are trained in the log huts the Polish army in Poland. Prussia, with some troops, and is hoping from day to day to be permitted to take all his men to Poland.

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## BIG FLEET TO PACIFIC

**Navy to be Divided Equally Soon.**

**Annual Fleet Maneuvers to Bring All Nation's Warships to Coast.**

**Daniels Outlines Sea Programme Before Committee of the House.**

BY ARTHUR SEARS HENNING. [EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.] WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—Two large navies of equal size, one in the Atlantic and the other in the Pacific, were pictured by Secretary of the Navy Daniels before the House Naval Affairs Committee today as his dream for the future.

A friendly rivalry between the two navies, the Secretary said, would serve to keep every man on his toes, and aid in making the combined forces equal in efficiency to the greatest in the world.

Secretary Daniels said that Admiral Benson, chief of naval operations, would accompany him on a trip to the Pacific Coast during the next few months, at which time the plan for developing the Pacific fleet would be given consideration.

Admiral Benson, who is now in Europe, the Secretary said, had partly worked out a scheme for the two navies before his assignment to overseas duties. Further development of the plan for developing the Pacific fleet would be given consideration.

The two fleets would have ships equal in size, equipment and personnel. They would be matched against each other in joint maneuvers, to be held yearly in both oceans. Everything possible would be done to instill a spirit of rivalry between the two fleets.

"Heretofore officers who have been assigned to duty with the Pacific fleet have sometimes considered that they had been 'sent out.' This will not be the case if our plan is worked out."

While Secretary Daniels made no comparisons the inference was drawn that the plan would contemplate a Pacific fleet about equal in size to that of Japan. The Secretary presented to the committee a statement showing the present size of the Japanese fleet.

The report showed that Japan has thirteen battleships and four build-

After a few minutes of heavy artillery, the Allies left the blockhouses and advanced up the river roads straight at the enemy positions. Already flanking parties, drawing hand sleds loaded with ammunition and rations, had made their way through the advance positions and were attacking the rear. Every man was clothed in a heavy Arctic outfit and wore white canvas robes with a cow that, in the faint light even of midday, made him indistinguishable from the snow.

START DESPERATE ATTACK. At 4 o'clock in the morning these gallant flanking parties had cut into the woods on the great adventure. In most of the advance positions, the temperature at zero, they were starting for unknown parts across uncharted woods on a desperate chance. It was really romantic.

## Declares "War" to Keep Navy Keen.

Secretary Daniels's programme, as described by him yesterday to the House Naval Affairs Committee, provides among other things:

That the navy shall be divided equally into two great fleets.

That one of these equal parts will be based on the Pacific and be known as the Pacific fleet.

That submarine bases will be established at Pacific Coast points.

That a annual battle maneuvers will be held with united fleet in each ocean.

That permanent personnel of Marine Corps shall be increased from 17,400 to 25,000 men.

That the Secretary of the Navy will visit the Pacific Coast next summer to prepare detail plans.

That navy yards at Panama, Hawaii, Mare Island and Puget Sound will be made ample to care for any demand of united fleet.

That one of country's best admirals, who can be depended upon to stir up ambition, shall be given command of each fleet.

That navy improvements should be determined until the next session of Congress, after the department has had opportunity to recommend extensions.

Josephus Daniels, Secretary of the Navy, foe of booze and champion of efficiency.

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**TURK CAPITAL OCCUPIED.**

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Jan. 1.—A battalion of French troops has been detailed to occupy the Stambul district of Constantinople, while a British battalion will occupy Pera, the European quarter. Italian forces will occupy another district of the city.

VALETTA (Island of Malta). Jan. 1.—Thirty American submarine chasers have arrived here from Corfu. They will leave for home January 7 or 8. The crews will be given an opportunity to visit Italy and France on the homeward voyage.

**FEAR BIG OIL TANKER LOST**

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 1.—Serious concern for the safety of the Standard Oil Company's tanker, George W. Loomis, which left here last December 19 for Coos Bay, Or., was expressed here tonight by shipping men. The voyage to Coos Bay, it was pointed out, ordinarily requires approximately forty-eight hours.

Naval vessels are reported to have been sent out in search of the missing craft, which last was sighted off the Oregon coast by the steamer Washenaw.

The missing boat carried a crew of nineteen men and was under the command of Capt. E. E. Lapchus, most of the crew residing in this city. The vessel was built at the Union Iron Works here in 1896. It was the first tanker to be built by the Standard Oil Company. It is 175 feet long and has a beam of 24.4 feet, and was of 614 gross tonnage.

SEATTLE, Jan. 1.—Officers of

## WILSON TO BE ROMAN

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**Elaborate Preparations Made by Italians to Honor Our President.**

**Royal Train Bringing Guest of Nation to Reach Capital this Morning.**

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.] ROME, Tuesday, Dec. 31.—Preparations for the reception of President Wilson in Rome are being carried out actively night and day. The Via Nazionale is being cleared of its whole length from the railroad station to the Quirinal, bustling with flags and flags, and the city is being decorated with flowers and plants. All the shops are showing the American colors, and in their windows are portraits of President Wilson.

The newspapers today print cuts of President Wilson and also portraits of Washington and Lincoln. These cuts serve as illustrations for long biographical articles in which President Wilson's role in the war is dwelt upon.

In the square at the station where the President will arrive the flagstaffs bear shields with the arms of redeemed Italian towns upon them, including those of Fiume and Spalato.

President Wilson will arrive at the Italian frontier on the morning of next January 2. He will be met at the border by aides of King Victor Emmanuel, Italian Ambassador Page and Count Macchi di Colere, Italian Ambassador to the United States.

Leaving the border, the President will travel on a special royal train. He will be greeted at Turin and Genoa by the Mayor and the municipality of those cities.

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**IN ETERNAL CITY.**

Prince Colonna, the Mayor of Rome, and representatives of the municipality will await President Wilson in the large square facing the Baths of Diocletian. The Mayor and Aldermen will be in the historic gala coaches surrounded by attendants carrying the ancient banners of the different districts of Rome.

The square will be decorated with flowers, plants and flags, and will have accommodations for 1000 persons in temporary stands. Prince Colonna will greet President Wilson in the name of the Eternal City.

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Italian Aims at Peace Conference Are to Be Discussed by Wilson With Italy's Leader

PRESIDENT NOW ITALIANS GUEST

Crosses Frontier from France Early this Morning. King's Aides and Diplomats Meet Him at Border.

American Executive to Have an Audience with Pope.

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national scientific institution, which will give him honorary membership. The President will have luncheon at the American embassy, with Ambassador Page, after which he will visit Pope Benedict at the Vatican. Mrs. Wilson and Miss Wilson will be received by the Pope immediately after the President.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—The President will attend a dinner given by the Queen Margherita, after which he will attend a reception of representatives of Protestant organizations at the American church. The same night he will leave Rome either for Naples or Milan.

WILSON EN ROUTE.

PARIS, Jan. 1.—President Wilson tonight is en route to Rome, where he will be the guest of King Victor Emmanuel. During his stay in the Italian capital he will visit the Pope, and also the Methodist College, and will continue his conference with the King, Premier Orlando and Baron Sonnino, the Foreign Minister. Important results are expected from this visit, which will be the last to the Allied countries before the beginning of the Peace Conference. Immediately after breakfast this morning the President went with Mrs. Wilson and Rear-Admiral Cary T. Grayson, his personal physician, to the beautiful St. Cloud country, under gray but rainless clouds, and played golf for an hour.

There was a quiet family New Year's dinner at the Murat mansion. No business was before the President. His only departure from the injunction of Admiral Grayson to devote the day to complete rest, was when he received a New Year's call from President and Mrs. Poincaré, and later visited Col. E. M. House, with whom he had a conference. Beyond this he had no appointments.

The conference in Rome with the Italian statesmen in a sense be continuation of those held here when King Victor Emmanuel visited Paris, and the President also talked with Premier Orlando and Foreign Minister Sonnino. The results of President Wilson's conference with the British Premier, Lloyd George, and Foreign Minister Balfour, which have not yet been fully disclosed, probably will have an important relation to the continuation of the conferences with the Italian leaders.

The working machinery of the American commission has been thoroughly organized during the President's absence in England, and everything is practically ready to begin business when he returns from Italy.

ORDER QUIT PRICE OF LIBERTY BONDS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 1.—An investigation intended to determine why Liberty Bonds are selling so far below par will be undertaken tomorrow by the County District Attorney's office, it was announced today.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—War savings organizations plan to develop corps of speakers similar to the "four-minute men" of past Liberty Loan campaigns and to preach the gospel of thrift this year.

It was announced here today that this was decided on at a conference of district war savings managers held here this week.

There appears no reason for altering the forecast made four weeks ago that President Wilson intends to be back in Washington before the closing of the American Congress on March 4, or that, if necessary, he will return to France early in the spring to continue his work. There are, however, some indications that the President's hope that his return will not be necessary may be realized.

BRITISH ENVOYS NAMED.

PARIS, Jan. 1.—An important portion of the British delegation to the Peace Conference will leave for Paris Saturday, according to the Evening News. In addition to Premier Lloyd George, Foreign Secretary Balfour and Andrew Bonar Law, Chancellor of the Exchequer, the paper says, the British representatives will include Viscount Hardinge, former Governor-General of India, and permanent Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs; Sir W. G. Tyrrell, former private secretary to Sir Edward Grey, who will act for the Foreign Office; Sir Louis Mallet, former British Ambassador to Turkey, as authority on matters relating to Turkey; Sir E. M. W. Howard, Minister to Sweden, as authority on northern Europe; Sir Ralph Parry, Minister to Denmark, and former Minister to Bulgaria, as authority on the Balkans; and Sir Eyre Crowe, assistant Under-Secretary for Foreign Affairs, as an authority on affairs of western Europe.

IN VOLUNTARY BATH AS GANGWAY BREAKS.

(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.)

SAN DIEGO, Jan. 1.—Ten women and children, attending the regatta of the San Diego Rowing Club, today when the gangway between the club building and a boat broke under the strain of their weight and went into the water. The rope railings on the gangway held the broken planks together, but the rescuers jumped to the aid of those in the water. No one was injured.

You will add a postscript to these recollections when you see The Greatest Thing in Life.—Advertisement.

FRANCE'S LOSS CAUSES ALARM.

Totals Two Million Able-Bodied Men Put Out.

Means Appalling Decrease of Population in Future.

Debt Has Grown to Thirty-four Billion Dollars.

(BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.)

PARIS, Tuesday, Dec. 31.—After outlining the financial situation of the Allied governments and the need for the appropriation of war credits to the Allies, Alexander Ribot, former Premier and Minister of Finance, turned to the problems confronting France.

"Our national debt has grown from 22,000,000,000 francs before the war to 170,000,000,000, and will continue to grow until the demobilization of the army," he said. "Nearly 2,000,000 men, the flower of French manhood, have either been killed or rendered unfit for participation in the activities of the country. This loss in man power out of about 40,000,000 inhabitants is more keenly felt since the population of France ceased to grow long before the war."

REVENUE DECREASE.

"Take the 30,000,000,000 francs revenue which before the war was the maximum figure for France and estimate that it was increased by 10,000,000,000 francs during the war. Compare that with the 250,000,000,000 francs of revenue received by the United States and the gravity of the decrease in our producing capacity becomes more apparent.

"Even with sufficient man power to operate them, our industries will require some years to recover from the work of devastation," the Minister continued. "With reduced man power and crippled industries we shall have to face a deficit in our annual budget of 2,000,000,000 or 10,000,000,000 francs.

"We shall have adjusted our finances as far as we shall have increased our resources so as to reduce that deficit, but taking even one-third of our total revenue for our debt, there would still be a large deficit. The reassuring features of the situation are that the war has not been a total disaster, and the conditions which may be counted upon for the proper division of the war burden and the confidence of our own people.

NOT INSOLVENT.

"France is far from being insolvent. In spite of the disadvantages of the war, its credit is as sound as a rock. After four and a half years of war, with heavy losses and hardships that have not spared a single family, we have only to offer our bonds for the fourth time to realize more than 21,000,000,000 francs.

"None of the nations of the Entente are bankrupt by the war, notwithstanding the formidable obligations they have incurred."

"In this solemn moment, when a new era in the history of the world is about to begin, the people of the world should shed their light upon the delegates who are meeting in Paris, and upon the noble nation which is the head of the noble world, upon the noble nation which is the head of the noble world, upon the noble nation which is the head of the noble world."

"May the conference be of such a nature as to remove resentment, establish harmony and concord and useful and useful relations between the nations, which, by abolishing the conscription, will eliminate the cause of the world's wars, and will guarantee to everyone independence and equality of rights."

BAY CITY PLU DECREASES.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 1.—Up to noon today seventy new cases of Spanish influenza and eight deaths were reported in San Francisco. The apparent decrease in the number of deaths was attributed to the holiday.

Had a fuss with a woman yesterday because we sold a 75-cent suit. That's in the contract, but there's only thirty of them and thousands at \$5 and \$6 for The Greatest Thing in Life.—Advertisement.

BERLIN UNDER STRONG RULERS.

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der and probably would be asked to leave the country at once.

LONDON, Jan. 1.—Richard Barth, secretary of the German Independent Socialist party, "regards Gen. Groener, the successor of Gen. Ludendorff, as the leader of a military counter-revolutionary movement, according to the Express, which prints an interview that its Berlin correspondent secured with Barth.

Gen. Groener, Barth stated, is thought to have been given secret orders by the military leaders with the intention to restore the monarchy, but not say whether, after the former Emperor's "cowardly flight," it would aim at restoring the Hohenzollerns to power.

Asked by the correspondent whether the people were likely to support a monarchy, Barth is quoted as saying: "The German people is a strange individual. It is contrary to what he detested yesterday."

Announcement of the retirement of three members of the cabinet and the appointment of Gustave Noske and Wilhelm Sollmann, members of the Reichstag, to the cabinet, was received here. The first part of the proclamation was that "Paralyzing discord overcame the government of the empire is again forced to unity. It knows only one law for action—the welfare, stability and indivisibility of the German Republic before every party consideration."

Premier Ebert and Philipp Scheidemann, Secretary of Colonies, set forth in the proclamation the program, which includes the creation of a militia force, the disarmament of the army, the carrying of arms, the attainment of peace as speedily and on as favorable conditions as possible, and the dispatch abroad, as representatives of the German Republic, of "new men filled with new spirit."

POPE SENDS AMERICA NEW YEAR'S GREETING.

EXPRESSES HOPE FOR LEAGUE TO ENFORCE PEACE AFTER WORLD CONGRESS.

(BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.)

ROME, Tuesday, Dec. 31.—In a New Year's message to America, Pope Benedict expressed the hope that the peace conference might result in a new world order, with a league of nations, the abolition of conscription and the establishment of tribunals to adjust international disputes. The message reads: "On the eve of the new year, in which humanity is at last to enjoy the blessings of peace, I am glad to send cordial greetings to the American people as the champions of the cause of peace. I have been proclaimed by both President Wilson and the Holy See, insuring for the world justice, peace and Christian love."

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THE SKY. Clear. Wind at 3 p.m. south; velocity, four miles. Thermometer, highest, 57 deg.; lowest, 37 deg. Forecast: Fair, with continued cold. Killing frost in morning.

For complete weather data see last page of this section.

THE CITY. Frank P. Green of the University of California, one of the State's most noted authorities on toxicology, made a preliminary examination of the influenza virus and failed to find cyanide.

Peace and Victory Tournament of Rowing was presided over by 150,000 persons; Great Lakes sailors won the service football championship by beating the Mare Island Marines.

Police expressed the belief that a slain Italian broker was the victim of a blackhand highway.

Chief Butler predicted that a wave of crime would follow the cessation of hostilities and instructed the force to take extra precautions in Los Angeles.

Charlie Chaplin and motion-picture actors barred kisses for the Red Cross and Chaplin was able to set more for his than the women stars.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Santa Monica officers arrest Mexican who is accused of shooting and killing Kuhnau yesterday morning.

SLOPE. Santa Fe editor cleared of contempt by State Supreme Court holding free press cannot be curbed by bumpington judges.

WASHINGTON. Cablegram from Herbert Hoover reports 1,500,000 destitute persons in districts North of France, swept clean by Hun invaders, who paralyzed industrial life for years.

Railroad loss through operation by the government will total about one hundred fifty million dollars for year.

GENERAL EASTERN. President of railroad owners asks time from the government to allow them to plan a being formulated that will protect shippers.

Troopship Northern Pacific ashore off Fire Island, New York. Captain Robert S. Lovett, on resigning from Federal Railroad Board, declares opposition to public ownership of railroads, but advocates Federal control.

FOREIGN. Rutenburgs and Bolshevik forces retreat and force Poles to retreat in Lemberg district, using heavy German cannon.

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Countless dinner parties at the Maryland, the Huntington and the Raymond and at the Midwick and other hotels, were being held. At the Maryland the dinner parties taxed the capacity of the main dining-room, so tables were set in the mezzanine adjoining the dining-room. Serpentine tapers were thrust through the center of the tables. The Long Beach band played.

The Great Lakes and Marine football players were centers of interest, of course. They were entertained at dinner by officials of the Rose Tournament Association.

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Ask City Commission for Possession of Elimination.

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Only recently, at the suggestion of Mayor Lisenby, it was proposed to introduce the ordinance which would eliminate roosters from city limits, but the matter never got further. The Mayor's decision at the time, however, that he would not take the complaint seriously, has been a source of annoyance to the rooster-keepers. The Mayor said that people who roosted in their backyards were a nuisance, and that he favored a "no-rooster" movement for the city. He said that he would not take the complaint seriously, but that he would take the complaint seriously.

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In a cup of there's a attractive f There's bea For Postum cereals, with INSTA is made in without b venient, c

**Mutt Should Feel Honored that Jeff Condescends to Speak to Him - - - by Bud Fisher**

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AN ONE OF THE KING'S CAR, I'VE APPROACH THE CHAUFFEUR, BUT I OBSERVE YOU ARE DRIVING ONE OF THE KING'S CARS. I COULD CERTAINLY LOVE TO GET A PECK AT KING GEORGE!

PARDON THIS SEEMING FAMILIARITY, STRANGER, BUT I OBSERVE YOU ARE DRIVING ONE OF THE KING'S CARS. I COULD CERTAINLY LOVE TO GET A PECK AT KING GEORGE!

THANKS, SIR. THIS IS THE BUCKINGHAM PALACE GUEST CAR!

MUTT, HE FEELS THERE MUST BE A VACANCY IN THE GARAGE, BUT I'VE A CAR. I NEED A GROOM IN THE ROYAL STABLE, I'VE BAKED THE MAN TO SEE, I'VE LEAVING NOW, SIR!

OR, HELLO MUTT TO BUCKINGHAM PALACE POST HASTE, JAMES, OR I SHALL BE LATE FOR TEA WITH THE KING!

YES, SIR!

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limits, but the matter never  
further. The Mayor declared  
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with the complainants, and  
that the morning when one  
to sleep.  
he Mayor said that people  
"vocal" rosters have been  
all hours of the day and  
and that he favored a "ban-  
farm" movement for the  
The should people be permit-  
to sing, with rosters, the peo-  
ple and contentment of the  
citizens enough to be the  
shores? reads the compla-  
the Moline avengers. "We  
make more neighborhood ques-  
in Long Beach, and not in-  
tently a flock of chickens  
need to get rid of the noise  
this makes real trouble for  
served. Thousands would be  
to see the rosters, and the  
Beach. Swat him, the infer-  
noise and noise disturber,  
odious midnight voice is  
as a river steamboat which  
a dozen times worse than  
a clock, which only awakes  
our New Year's rosters  
is a war the rooster, and  
Beach a more comfortable  
to live in."

DIRECTOR, REGISTER

for the purpose of extending  
appropriate welcome, as well as  
the foundation for a future  
memorial in their honor.  
Commissioners have issued  
for all men returning from  
service to register, and fill  
information blank at the  
Library in Pacific Park. The  
mission obtained upon the re-  
tion of a soldier or sailor who  
in compiling a permanent  
d in book form. This register  
will also make possible an in-  
and efficient system of re-  
use the further home.  
WARD LIGHTS SHINING  
mination of the entrance of  
Beach Harbor, after years  
delay, is finally an accom-  
fact. In the place of a  
enters that, according to  
was only lighted once in  
and could not be seen from  
away when it was burning.  
ed electric lights suspended  
search tripods now before  
and indicate to the  
the entrance to the port  
R. The new lights, it was  
seen a good way out, even  
a rough sea.

REVENUE TO MALADY.

(LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE)  
NTURA, Jan. 1.—Amigos  
the holidays at home and  
himself strong enough  
the trip. Paul Timm-  
and \$1, the only child  
Gerrit Brooks, the head  
where he was staying in  
Bernardino Mountains, re-  
back to Ventura shortly  
Christmas. We had been a  
for tuberculosis for some  
steadily after his arrival he  
name much worse and near-  
ly dead today. He was  
in the hospital with all  
his father died some years  
ago.

BURNS TO DEATH.

(LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE)  
KARL, Jan. 1.—Luther  
was burned to death in  
at Santa Monica, where  
new smoke issuing from  
he broke in and was just  
to pull the body away from  
the stove had fallen over  
creased over. Gunn's  
the door. He had resided  
vicinity for some years.  
Home.

New Year is a time to have

means you are coming to the

Thing in Life.—Advertisement



## Satisfaction

Much of the joy  
of life comes from  
the knowledge of  
having accom-  
plished something;  
having done some-  
thing and done it  
well.

This is the joy we  
feel when we de-  
liver to you any  
of our products

Complete Home  
Furnishers to Par-  
ticular People at  
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HEAT YOUR HOME WITH GAS  
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In a cup of Postum  
there's a most at-  
tractive flavor. .  
There's health, too.

For Postum contains the goodness of  
cereals, with no harmful substance.

## INSTANT POSTUM

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without boiling. Economical, con-  
venient, delicious.

"There's a Reason"



## MIDWEST SWEPT BY COLD WAVE.

Temperatures Below Zero  
with Blizzard Reported.

Railways Blocked by Drifting  
Snow; Mails Delayed.

High Pressure Area Threatens  
Frost in California.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—A cold  
wave was sweeping eastward today  
from the West, where temperatures  
hovered around zero.

DENVER, Jan. 1.—With moderat-  
ing temperatures reported from Col-  
orado and Western Kansas railroad  
officials tonight said they expected  
to have normal train service restored  
by tomorrow, although traffic still  
was demoralized tonight on the  
Union Pacific, Rock Island and  
Atchafalpa, Topeka and Santa Fe  
roads.

No trains were expected from the  
East tonight on any of these lines  
and the only two eastbound trains  
departed on them today.

DALLAS (Tex.) Jan. 1.—The  
worst blizzard of the winter today  
was raging over West and North-  
west Texas. It is feared cattle may  
suffer. Railway and interurban  
traffic in Northwestern Texas is prac-  
tically blocked.

TOPEKA (Kan.) Jan. 1.—Clear  
weather today is giving the railroad  
splendid opportunity to dig out of  
the second snow blockade in a  
week.

LINCOLN (Neb.) Jan. 1.—In-  
tensely cold weather prevailed to-  
day in Nebraska and Southern South  
Dakota. At Winner, S. D., and Long  
Pine, Neb., it was 13 deg. below  
zero. A blizzard is reported around  
Deadwood, S. D., and the Rosebud  
line of the Northwestern road in  
South Dakota continued blocked by  
snowdrifts.

PROST FORECAST.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 1.—An  
extensive high pressure area over-  
lying the Pacific Slope and Rocky  
Mountain region is causing the cold  
weather throughout these districts  
and killing frosts in California, ac-  
cording to the United States Weather  
Bureau here. It was slightly colder  
in the State this morning than yes-  
terday morning, the thermometer  
registering below freezing at some  
points. The Weather Bureau reports  
said. Conditions exist for continued  
fair and cold weather, with killing  
frosts Thursday morning.

SEES LOS ANGELES  
AS WORLD'S PORT.

CUSTOMS COLLECTOR, BACK  
FROM BORDER TRIP, RE-  
PORTS BIG TRADE IMPULSE.

Collector of Customs Elliott re-  
turned yesterday from a ten days'  
inspection trip along the Mexican  
border from Calexico to Yuma. From  
what he saw while making his of-  
ficial round, he stated that he is con-  
fident there will be vastly improved  
trade conditions in the local dis-  
trict, beginning with the new year.

When the war was in progress  
there was a tremendous falling off  
in both exports and imports, on ac-  
count of conditions growing out of  
the various regulations of the Treas-  
ury Department, and the fact that  
no ships could be conveniently  
spared for the shipment of com-  
modities.

But with the definite dawning of  
peace, the collector is of the opin-  
ion that there will be an immediate  
quickening of the commercial pulse,  
and that the business men of Los  
Angeles will be in a position to take  
advantage of the improved condi-  
tions. Big trading companies are  
being organized, and important ship-  
ping lines will call Los Angeles their home  
port.

With the impetus thus given to  
all lines of commercial enterprises,  
the collector is quite sure that an  
era of prosperity is surely opening  
for the benefit of the local business  
men far-sighted enough to take ad-  
vantage of the conditions that are  
sure to be in evidence. This will  
mean that Los Angeles will occupy  
a large space than ever on the map  
of the world, and that it will soon  
be known and recognized as one of  
the great ports on the Pacific Coast.

## CHICAGO DOINGS.

Strikes, Weather and Wed-  
dings, New Year's News  
Topics.

(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH)

CHICAGO, Jan. 1.—Mr. and Mrs.  
James W. Comstock of No. 4416  
Sheridan road celebrated their gold-  
an wedding anniversary today and  
about 200 of their friends and  
neighbors dropped in to extend con-  
gratulations. They were married on  
New Year's Eve in 1869, in Warsaw,  
Ind.

Both sides of the strike of cooks  
and waiters against four hotels pro-  
fessed themselves satisfied with  
what was regarded as the severe  
test of New Year's Eve.

The management of the La  
Salle Hotel said the Hotel Sherman,  
the two larger of the four hotels  
in which there are strikes, both said  
that New Year's Eve business was  
the greatest they have ever enjoyed  
and that it was handled without trou-  
ble.

It was a cold and bleak New  
Year's morning to which perhaps  
20,000 Chicago dwellers awoke  
this morning. Radiators were cold  
and lifeless as the mercury out of  
doors registered a bare 15 deg.  
above zero.

Hundreds returned to the only  
firm in the city that was open  
back under the woolen blankets.  
Others, braver and more curious,  
telephoned their agents and they  
heard the news that the janitors were  
on strike.

Chicago awoke from its New  
Year's revelry today to find itself  
facing the bitterest weather of the  
winter.

The slush of the night before  
turned to treacherous ice, and in-  
stead of a lake breeze bearing mild-  
ing rain and snow business was  
wind, keen and cutting, swept the  
streets and drove indoors everyone  
who had any choice in the matter.

The near-zero weather, which  
swept down on Chicago is part of  
a great demonstration on the part  
of Old Boreas. The temperature  
yesterday was remarkable for far  
northern points, which showed mild  
weather, and far southern ones,  
which were very cold.

The weather forecaster explained  
these conditions were caused by a  
series of low-pressure areas from  
the West, which passed, one to the  
North and one to the south of Chi-  
cago, and high-pressure areas fol-  
lowing them.

TURN CITIES ITEMS.

(EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH)

ST. PAUL, Jan. 1.—For the sec-  
ond time in the twentieth century  
the Twin Cities this year had no  
zero weather in December.

Dr. Edward P. Ryan, No. 1049  
Van Slyke avenue, St. Paul, died of  
heart disease Tuesday at his home.

St. Paul is going to fight the ef-  
forts of Minneapolis to have the  
1919 automobile show a Mill City  
affair, instead of an exhibition of  
both cities as in the past. A meet-  
ing of the industrial subdivision of  
the St. Paul association will be held  
Thursday to discuss the matter.

Daniel W. Sprague, "the best  
posted man at the University of  
Minnesota on university affairs,"  
died at the University Hospital,  
Minneapolis, yesterday, after a  
week's illness. Pneumonia was the  
cause of his death. He was 81  
years old.

President E. G. Quamme of St.  
Paul, former land bank, declares  
war is exceedingly bright for this  
year, a large acreage of small grains  
being assured. He also maintains  
that the government must keep  
faith with the farmers by maintain-  
ing guaranteed prices.

Minneapolis tipped the lid, but  
tipped it off deeply in its welcome  
to 1919 New Year's Eve. Wine festi-  
val, but not in the generous quantities of  
other years; revelry ran high as for-  
merly. "Close" harmony quarters,  
but not so many as usual, roamed  
the streets and visited the cafes. The  
last morning taxicab business was  
light in comparison with the New  
Church and home parties drew  
many who in other years made  
merry with the downtown crowds.

Bank clearings in Minneapolis for  
1918 totaled the 1917 total by near-  
ly \$200,000,000, with a total of  
\$1,949,161,538.75. The figures do  
not include the clearings through the  
Federal Reserve Bank, which has been  
estimated will add about \$450,000,  
000 to the total.

Virtually all St. Paul clubs held  
open house during New Year's Day  
and in many cases holiday dinners  
were served. The city hall, a recep-  
tion at the Athletic Club in the af-  
ternoon, featuring music and dancing  
with dinner at 3 p.m. The Soldiers'  
and Sailors' Club also was the scene  
of all-day festivities, while the Y.M.  
C.A. and the Y.W.C.A. maintained  
open house through out the day.

Many citizens attended the watch  
parties held in the churches New  
Year's Eve while home entertain-  
ments were frequent affairs. Skating  
and tobogganing also were a New  
Year's Day pastime.

Jacob O. Bentall of Minneapolis,  
former candidate for Governor on  
the Socialist ticket in Minnesota,  
must give himself up within thirty  
days to begin serving a term of one  
year in the Federal prison at Fort  
Leavenworth for aiding in obstruct-  
ing the draft.

Miss Mary H. Unger, who for  
thirty years has been teacher in the  
public schools of Minneapolis, died  
Wednesday. She had been principal  
of the Hawthorne school for the past  
twenty years.

DEMOCRAT BECOMES  
NEW YORK GOVERNOR.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

ALBANY (N. Y.) Jan. 1.—A new  
Governor took over the administra-  
tion of the affairs of the State of  
New York today.

Alfred E. Smith, Democrat of  
New York City, assumed the office  
held for four years by Charles E.  
Whitman of New York, Republican.

CALL OFF MILWAUKEE STRIKE.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

MILWAUKEE, Jan. 1.—The strike  
of the employees of the Milwaukee  
Electric Railway and Light Com-  
pany was called off tonight pending  
results of efforts a committee of  
business men will make to have  
the Wisconsin Railroad Commission  
settle the controversy over the com-  
pany's right to increase its street car  
fares. The men asked for a raise  
of 5 cents an hour.

## NO CROSS MARKS

200,000 GRAVES.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 1.—  
Wearing decorations from the  
governments of France, Rus-  
sia, Belgium and Montenegro,  
Mrs. Nina Larrey Duryea,  
president of the Duryea war  
relief in France, returned to-  
day on the liner Espagne to  
stimulate the interest of the  
organization's seventy-two  
branches throughout the  
United States in "the greatly  
increased need of the im-  
poverished French people."

Duryea, the first  
American woman to cross the  
battlegrounds of the Somme, the  
Argonne and the Ardennes,  
said in the vicinity of Ypres  
one field of eighteen acres  
contained the bodies of 200,  
000 enemy and Allied soldiers,  
unmarked even by a single  
cross.

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Rosy and Virile  
Full of Color  
Full of Facts

## COMING SOON The Times' Big Annual

The One Splendid Message of  
the Glorious Southwest

Interesting, instructive, attractive pres-  
entation of the big things of the earth's  
most favored spot to be read by more  
than a million residents of other States.

## IN THE ANNUAL Midwinter Number of The Times

Out January 28th, 1919

## WORTH WAITING FOR

There were never before so many compelling  
reasons why people should come to Southern California.

Post-war conditions create wonderful opportunities  
for investment and development.

Southern California draws like a powerful magnet  
the beauty lover, the seeker after ideal homes or home-  
sites. It offers all-the-year attractions to recreation  
seekers.

To the money-maker or the money-earner there are  
opportunities many and varied.

Industry, agriculture, horticulture, manufacturing,  
commerce and the tremendous world trade openings  
made possible by a magnificent harbor, improved and  
developed by the expenditure of many millions of  
dollars.

These and many other kindred subjects are ably  
handled by skilled writers in the LOS ANGELES  
TIMES' ANNUAL MIDWINTER NUMBER TO BE  
ISSUED JANUARY 28, 1919.

The written articles are supplemented with beau-  
tiful illustrations in color and in the rotogravure process.  
The Times big rotogravure plant is the only rotogravure  
plant west of the Rocky Mountains.

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as Mustard

But the old-fashioned mustard  
plaster burns and blisters. It  
acted. Get the relief and help that  
mustard plasters gave without the  
plaster and without the blister.

Mustard does it. It is a steam,  
soluble ointment, made with oil of mu





## Joy Facts FOR EVERYBODY

### Big—New—Sparkling Facts

Worth money to the man in business  
Intensely interesting to the man at home

"Smile and the world smiles with you,"  
says Southern California today.

There are 2133 cities in the United States with populations of 25,000, 20,000, 15,000, 10,000, 5000 and 2500.

One-seventh of all the people in the nation live in these 2133 population centers. The first, big, interesting fact. A gigantic figure.

But now comes another fact, so much bigger that it takes away the breath. A fact with a cash value.

There are 10 cities in the United States whose population equals the whole 2133 smaller cities put together. 10 cities with as many feet to shoe, as many mouths to feed, as many houses to furnish as all the cities in the country within the 2500 to 25,000 class.

Los Angeles, by no less an authority than the United States Census Bureau, belongs in this exalted list.

We are now one of the Big Ten. We have reached the top-liners. Los Angeles has arrived.

There comes another fact, a money-value fact: A process of concentration is under way in all human enterprises. One big ship replaces six. One telephone company instead of two. And in the newspaper world this process exhibits itself most strikingly of all.

"One, big newspaper to a community," is the cry, and while many publishers have voluntarily discontinued needless publications, the public has helped along by automatically concentrating on the one, predominating journal in each field.

Here then are two Giant facts: population is concentrating in a few great cities, the great cities are concentrating on a few predominating newspapers.

The most spectacular fact of all is now to be revealed.

November's tabulation shows that the circulation of the LOS ANGELES TIMES has increased over last year's by eighteen thousand per day. A predominating newspaper has become super-predominating. So rapidly has the process of concentration operated in Southern California that THE TIMES' increase in circulation for the past year equals its growth for the twelve years that went before.

Fortunate are the men who do business in these 10 great centers where 10 advertising campaigns reach more people than 2133 advertising campaigns in the smaller cities, and at about one-twentieth the cost.

Doubly fortunate are those who do business in the great and growing city of Los Angeles, where, with its own vast population and the golden area that surrounds it, it constitutes the richest buying market of its size in the entire United States.

Los Angeles business men never before had such opportunity for expansion. Never before so many buyers. Never before such prosperous buyers.

And California's great newspaper, THE LOS ANGELES TIMES, with its superiority in news and features so great as to be overwhelming—the largest newspaper printed in America—is read by the total purchasing element of the population. No newspaper in any city begins to duplicate the marvelous house-to-house network by which THE TIMES blankets, bedspreads and roofs over the whole community.

One campaign in one newspaper at one cost will do the business, and the practical truth of this is shown by the hundreds of successful business men who use THE TIMES exclusively, by the hundreds of others who spend the bulk of their advertising appropriations in THE TIMES and by the further fact that both these classes of business men are rapidly increasing in number.

An advertisement in THE TIMES is like a speech to the total buying population of the community gathered in one spot.

WHAT KIND OF  
BRICKS DID THEY  
USE IN THIS BUILDING?

"TIMES" ADVERTISING  
OLD SCOUT!

OVER SIX HUNDRED  
THOUSAND, TIM,  
AND THEY'RE  
COMING FAST  
!!!

LOS ANGELES  
IN 1930  
POPULATION  
11,000

## LARGE FLEET FOR PACIFIC

(Continued from First Page.)

ing or projected, seven battle cruisers, ten cruisers, sixteen light cruisers, ten destroyers, seven more building or projected, five armored coast defense vessels, sixty-six destroyers, twenty-three building or projected, sixteen first-class torpedo boats, eight second-class torpedo boats, sixteen submarines and twenty-seven building or projected and two airships and sixty-three miscellaneous vessels.

In reply to a question Secretary Daniels said that at present there are only a few vessels of the navy in the Pacific, most of them having been transferred to the Atlantic for overseas duty during the war.

Secretary Daniels approved an appropriation of \$1,000,000 for the construction of a breakwater and retaining wall at the Great Lakes Naval Training Station. The purpose of this is to prevent the present big embankment from crumbling away as threatened.

### TO PREVENT SLUMP.

Secretary Daniels said that after every war there is a tendency for the navy to retrograde and that the fleet division has been determined upon to prevent a slump.

"An admiral who can stay long enough to stir up a slump," will be placed in command of each fleet, Mr. Daniels said, and all officers will be kept on their ships for two years. In effect, the Secretary added, there will be a war between the Atlantic and Pacific fleets, "which will stimulate the keener that it will make the men feel they are in actual war."

Mr. Daniels did not indicate to the committee how many ships will be in each fleet. It is assumed, however, that there will be an equal distribution of the capital ships, most of which heretofore have been kept on the Atlantic Coast. During the maneuvers, the combined fleet will visit each coast so as to give the people on the Atlantic and Pacific seaboard an opportunity to see the full naval force.

### SUBMARINE BASES.

Mr. Daniels also told the committee that during peace times the submarine bases at San Diego, Cal., Key West, Fla., and New London, Ct., and the air defense stations at San Diego and Pensacola, Fla., will be retained. The principal training stations for seamen in the East will be at Chicago, Hampton Roads and Newport, R. I.

Secretary Daniels and Admiral William S. Benson, chief of operations, plan to visit the Pacific Coast next summer to study conditions there with a view to recommending extension of navy yards. In this connection, the Secretary recommended that Congress wait until its next session before providing funds for additions to the yards, as present plans can provide for both fleets for some time.

### PACIFIC YARDS AMPLIFIED.

The yards at the Panama Canal, in Hawaii and at Mare Island and Puget Sound, he said, can care amply for all the ships in the new Pacific fleet. During maneuvers both fleets will be on one coast.

Aviation expenditures should be limited to experiment work on machine and equipment, the Secretary declared in recommending an appropriation of \$25,000,000 for this branch. Proposed construction of many additional coastal air defense stations has been abandoned.

Increase in the permanent enlisted strength of the Marine Corps from 17,400 to 26,297 men was recommended. The temporary force now includes 10,000 men.

"The Marine Corps must be kept to a place that is not too large," Mr. Daniels said. "It would be the worst possible thing to make the marine another army."

### U-BOATS ARE DIVIDED.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P. LONDON, Jan. 1.—German submarines which have been surrendered are being divided among the Allies, according to the Mail. The newspaper says fifteen go to France, ten to Italy, seven to Japan and four to the United States. The U-boats turned over to the United States are said to be now on their way across the Atlantic.

The newspaper does not specify the manner in which the rest of the 127 surrendered submarines are to be allotted.

### NAVAL GUNS MADE.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—In the twenty months from the date of the entry of the United States into the war to last December 1, 2541 guns of medium caliber were manufactured under the direction of the naval bureau of ordnance at gun manufacturing plants. Secretary Daniels told the House Naval Affairs Committee today at the hearing on the naval appropriation bill. Of this number, 1857 were placed in actual service against the enemy.

Secretary Daniels explained that the total number of 2541 did not include guns that were on hand and in reserve on April 5, 1917, nor those of a larger caliber than five inches. The great majority were manufactured in plants placed in operation since the beginning of the war, he said, and every one was complete with mounts, sights and all accessories.

When hostilities ceased five-inch guns were being delivered at the rate of thirty a month; four-inch guns at the rate of seventy a month; and three-inch guns at the rate of 100 a month. During the twenty days after the signing of the armistice, 501 guns were delivered to the navy.

Retention by the government of a minority of the twenty-four training camps for instructing the naval reserve force was advocated by Capt. Laning, acting chief of navigation, in a statement submitted today to the House Naval Committee. Capt. Laning said the only cost to the government would be in maintenance and added that this was "the cheapest possible form of naval preparation."

All of the training camps will be required until demobilization is completed in 1920, Capt. Laning said, but several of the numerous special schools at the camps will be suspended before next July.

How much money are you making? You can make more if you know the Greatest Thing in Life—An Advertisement.

Schools and Colleges

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Bainbridge  
Randy Board Bldg., 551 S. Spring St.  
5525; Bldg., 5550; South for College.

## OPEN HOMESSEEKER RAILROAD BUREAU.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—A homeseecker's bureau has been established by the Railroad Administration to give free information about opportunities in Western and Southern States to those who wish to engage in farming, stock raising, gardening and similar occupations.

J. L. Edwards, manager of the agricultural sections of the Railroad Administration, will have general charge of this service.

## SIR ARTHUR PEARSON TO AID BLIND TROOPS.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 1.—The British liner Carmania arrived here today from Liverpool by way of Halifax, where she landed about 2000 Canadian troops.

She brought here 106 passengers, among them S. Grouitch, the Serbian Minister to the United States; A. B. Leguia, a former President of Peru, and Sir Arthur Pearson, the blind philanthropist. He comes here on a mission for the welfare of American blinded soldiers.

## TO RESUME ANTWERP NEW YORK SEA TRIPS.

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## HEALTH CRUSADE OF CHILDREN IS PLANNED.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 1.—Millions of school children in the United States will be invited to become "health crusaders" for the Junior Red Cross and the National Tuberculosis Association during the four months ending February 9, it was announced here tonight.

The two organizations will combine for that period, to conduct a "health crusade" in the health and community sanitation. Suitable rewards will be offered to the schools and classes of best work. The basis of the crusade is the observance of health habits which include use of the toothbrush, washing hands, face, ears and cleaning finger nails, drinking before meals and at bed time, going out of doors, sleeping with windows open and trying to keep full constantly.

## HOOVER URGES SCHOOL GARDENS TO CONTINUE.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 1.—J. Edgar Hoover, director of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, urged that school gardens be continued in the city of San Francisco, where they had been started by the State Council of Education, and by the Federal Bureau of Investigation, to request generally that the same be continued, it was announced.

Hoover estimated that 1,000 boys and girls were engaged in school gardens in the city of San Francisco, and that the total investment reached but \$50,000. In 1918 utilizing the spare time of the boys and girls, the school gardens had grown \$500,000 worth of stuff, Hoover said in his message.

Plans are to be shown in the school garden work.

## CLEMENCEAU TAKES RAIL TRIP.

(BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.)

PARIS, Jan. 1.—Premier Clemenceau, who has labored incessantly since he took office thirteen days ago, is taking a rest at Moulins-en-Parade, La Vendee, where he born seventy-eight years ago.

## Auto-Intoxication EXPLAINED

BY SAMUEL HAMILTON, M.D.

A French physiologist described man as a digestive tube with arrangements for locomotion and guidance. It is commonly said that people "dig their graves with their teeth." The disastrous effects of constipation have been well known. It is easily understood that serious are the troubles which are caused by retention of decayed matter in the large intestine, poison reabsorbed and taken into the circulation—this is called auto-intoxication. It is, therefore, that the first necessity is to cleanse the intestines thoroughly.

The best method for cleansing the whole tract and urging the liver into activity is to take much outdoor exercise as possible, drink hot water before meals, and take a pleasant laxative, vegetable, occasionally. Such a one is made up of apple, leaves of fig, root of jalap, made into a sugar-coated pill that gives no taste to the tongue. This was first made and sold by Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets.

The cost is twenty-five cents. Such a means will prevent auto-intoxication. It is a warning that the kidneys, just as the bowels, need to be flushed occasionally. The kidneys are an eliminative organ and are constantly working, separating the poisons from the blood. Urine backs up into the system, causing inflammation, neuralgia, dropsy and other serious disturbances.

This can be avoided by stimulating the kidneys by increasing action, and becoming its tonic effect on the system. I would advise any one to take Auric (double strength) which is to be had now for sixty cents, at almost any drug store, and take it three times a day. Also drink hot water before meals.

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 No. 2813 Montclair ave., semi-  
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 Awar below market. Price complete  
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## WHAT'S DOING TODAY.

Half-century club—Annual election of officers at National Hill Center today.

Club of Authors—"The Greatest Thing in Life."—Lecture by John G. Saxe, author of "The Story of the Three Kings," at 8 p.m. at the National Hill Center.

## THE CITY AND ENVIRONS.

W.C.T.U. to Meet.—The City Federation, W.C.T.U., will meet Wednesday at 8 a.m. in room 202, Trinity Auditorium Building.

For All-Day Meeting.—An all-day meeting will be held by the Red Cross auxiliary of the W.C.T.U. in the Patriotic Hall tomorrow.

For Joint Installation.—Bartlett-Loran Post, G.A.R., and corps, have arranged a joint installation of officers for Saturday evening, January 11, in Patriotic Hall.

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## BLACK HAND A BACK-HANDER?

Police Think Italian Broker Victim of Boomerang.

Seek "Extortion Clients" as Authors of Murder.

Dead Man Once Arrested on Hush-Money Charge.

Investigation made by police detectives yesterday of the slaying Tuesday night of John Cusimano, an investment broker, leads them to believe that a solution of the mystery will also disclose the underground working in Los Angeles of the Italian "black hand."

That the slain man may have been marked for death by some Italians from whom he hoped to obtain money on a promise to shield them from the "black hand," is a possibility shown by the investigation of Detective Thomas Rico in 1911 on a charge of extortion. The complaining witness was Anthony Blandini, a fruit peddler, who lived on Damon street, near Ninth street.

The hearing was before Police Judge Rose. Evidence showed that Blandini received numerous "black hand" letters in 1909, and that Cusimano said he could probably "fix" it so he would not be troubled any more.

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THE GUMPS—BIM CARRIES HIS ROLL IN A KNAPSACK.

WELL, ANDY—WHAT DO YOU SAY FOR A LITTLE AMUSEMENT TONIGHT? LET'S TAKE IN A SHOW AND A LITTLE DINNER. I THINK THE WOMEN FOLKS WOULD ENJOY IT.

CALL UP THE THEATRE AND RESERVE A BOX AND NOW'S YOUR FRIEND JOE SPAGAT? IS HE STILL ON THE JOB? ASK HIM TO RESERVE A TABLE.

IT'S ALL RIGHT WITH ME.

I'M ON—ANYTHING YOU SAY.

I'M ONLY GOING TO BE HERE FOR A FEW DAYS, AND WHILE I'M HERE I DON'T WANT THEM TO STICK THEIR NOSE IN THE KITCHEN. I'LL JUST PULL THIS FOOT BILL OFF—THIS ROLL IS GETTING SHAPE—CALL THE GIRLS.

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6 Floor Showcases

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AUCTION.

Friday, Jan. 3rd—1016 Second Ave.

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## POLICE PREDICT WAVE OF CRIME.

Chief Butler Issues Strong Warning to Force.

Says War's Cessation will Bring Out Criminals.

Would Prevent Recurrence of I.W.W. Activities.

In a New Year's message to the police department, Chief of Police Butler gives warning that an unusual wave of crime is expected this year because of the changing conditions, due to the cessation of fighting in Europe.

"The end of the war will be characterized by an increase of crime and in the numerical strength of criminal agents," he says.

In explaining this statement, the chief says that thousands of men will return from the battlefields to their former employment and many men of I.W.W. tendencies, who were forced into jobs by the "work or fight" campaign, will be back at their old occupations of doing no more work than necessary.

### PREVENTIVE ACTIVITY.

The chief goes on to say:

"The statement is made because of the records of history and the judgment of authorities.

"War utilizes the best men of the police—and the army. At the command of the Federal government, all police departments co-operated in gathering idle men, many of whom would rather steal than work, and forcing them into useful employment. Their places will be taken by good men who have come back from the war or industrial slackening will again make them idle. These men, it is logical to assume, will return to their old lives, in some measure, preventive police activity.

### MUST BE ALERT.

"It is therefore your duty to be alert during 1919 to watch for indications of the law and to closely observe idle men. Persons who are without employment will be directed to agencies maintained at no cost to the laborer where they may secure work. Failure to comply or make a determined effort to do so will be cause for your interest. The city must be protected from vagrants and noise, many of whom will fabricate war service.

"The returned soldier is deserving of every courtesy, for he may have served for a time, to get work, but the law must be treated as the law and he must be treated as such.

### TWO ARRESTED ON MANN ACT CHARGE.

WOMAN SAID TO HAVE LEFT HUSBAND AND CHILDREN IN WASHINGTON STATE.

Miss Nellie Lonsberry and William H. Martin, a carpenter at Van Nuys, were arrested yesterday by Patrolman Girard of the Van Nuys police station on a charge of violating the Mann Act. The arrest was made upon information furnished by the Federal authorities in this city, following telegraphic advice from the sheriff at Port Angeles, Wash.

According to this information, Miss Lonsberry left her husband, William Lonsberry, a stage driver at Port Angeles, and three children, to come to California with Martin. The woman, who is 25 years old, declared that she left her husband because he was a weakling and she wanted to live with a man named Johnson of Seattle. Johnson, she said, is 35 years old. Martin is 25 years old.

The couple arrived in Los Angeles on December 18 and have lived since at Van Nuys. Mrs. Lonsberry said her intention was merely to take advantage of the trip to Los Angeles and to go from there to Chicago, Mich., her former home.

STAY NEW YEAR RIGHT.

Observation of a romantic that began when they were students at the Catholic High School, where he was a leader and soloist in the choir club, and she a leader in school activities, George E. Saylor, 21 years of age, and a wealthy man named Johnson, who is 35 years old, married yesterday.

The couple's honeymoon is to be spent on the return motor trip. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Armbruster of the Armbruster apartments. The groom is the son of Mrs. Imogene Saylor of No. 111 Broadway street, where the wedding took place.

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## Automobile Restaurants

### Reduced

These are compactly fitted for two to six people—with knives, forks, lunch box, salt, pepper, etc.—in short, everything to make a motorist's picnic comfortable, and all are reduced

### One-Fourth

(Main Floor)

Splendid sales, now in full swing, entering their second week with ample supplies in every section, of the best merchandise the markets afford, at Sale prices:

## January Sales of White Dress Cottons

Goods that are, in many instances, lower in first-named prices than they are sold in many stores; at the Sale figures they are positive bargains of the good, old-fashioned sort:

45c Cannon Cloth, Yd. 36 inches wide; material in vogue for suits and separate skirts. 35c

50c White Outings, yd. 36 inches wide; for warm night wear and undershirts. 35c

35c Longcloth, yd. 36 inches wide; in 12-yard bolts, special. \$3.35. 29c

25c Nainsook, yd. 30 inches wide; ideal for underwear. 19c

35c Nainsook, yd. 32 inches wide, in soft finish. 29c

50c Nainsook, yd. 36 inches wide; an exquisite quality. In 12-yard bolts, special. \$4.50. 39c

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47 1/2c Indian Head 36 inches wide; soft finish, in white; yd. 35c

(Dress Cottons; Second Floor)

## January Sales of Sheets and Pillow Cases

Practically our entire immense stock of these standard domestics is lower-priced during January; we quote a few specimen prices, to show you how values run:

Pillow Cases Coulter's Special

42x38 1/2; were 65c, ea. 50c. 45x38 1/2; were 70c, ea. 55c. 50x38 1/2; were 80c, ea. 65c.

Sheets Coulter's Rex

63x99; were \$2.30, ea. \$2. 63x108; were \$2.45, ea. \$2.15. 72x99; were \$2.40, ea. \$1.95. 72x108; were \$2.60, ea. \$2.30.

81x99; were \$2.60, ea. \$2.25. 81x108; were \$2.75, ea. \$2.45. 90x108; were \$2.95, ea. \$2.60.

(Domestics; Second Floor)

## January Sales Broadway Store

Prices in our main store and in the Broadway store (215-217 South Broadway) are identical, wherever merchandise is to be found in both.

This is a convenience that many of our customers appreciate, who find it more expeditious to shop at one store than at the other.

The quality of merchandise at Coulter's never varies—always the best.

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# January Sale of White

Splendid sales, now in full swing, entering their second week with ample supplies in every section, of the best merchandise the markets afford, at Sale prices:

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## January Sales of American and Philippine Lingerie

Values to Make a Memorable Sale That daintiness always characteristic of Coulter lingerie stocks will be found in all its entirety in the goods offered for these special Sales. Every tiny stitch, every yard of material, lace and embroidery is specially selected.

### American-Made Lingerie

Batiste Gowns Soft, sheer nainsook may be had, also, if you prefer it, at these special prices. \$1.45, \$1.70, \$1.95, \$2.20, \$2.45, \$2.95, \$3.45

Envelope Chemise Carefully made, along best designs, and of choicest materials, in the sale—95c, \$1.20, \$1.45, \$1.90, \$2.20, \$2.45, \$2.75, \$3.45

### Lovely Petticoats

Very specially priced during the January Sales at \$1.20, \$1.45, \$1.69, \$1.95, \$2.45, \$2.95, \$3.20, \$3.45, \$3.95, \$4.45, \$4.95, \$5.35, \$6.95, \$7.50

## Silk Underwear at Sale Prices

Garments made of finest crepes de chine, washable satin and Georgette crepe:

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## Philippine Hand-Embroidered Garments

Gowns \$1.95, \$2.45, \$3.45, \$4.45, \$5.95, \$7.95

Envelope Chemise \$3.45, \$3.95, \$5, \$6.45, \$7.95

Petticoats \$4.45, \$5.45, \$5.95

Extra Sizes in both American and Philippine lingerie; also Mildred Stout garments, in crepe de chine, likewise reduced.

(Lingerie; Third Floor)

## Dresses--In Serge and Wool Jersey--Dresses

### Serge Dresses

—the majority in navy, with a few numbers in browns; all smart straightline, tunic and accordin pleated effects.

Values to \$27.50 Now \$22.75

Values to \$45.00 Now \$28.75

(Garments; Third Floor)

### Wool Jersey Dresses

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(Notions; Main Floor)

## January Sales of Household Linens

We feature for today, particularly, our stocks of

### Fine Napkins and Damask

That are sharply underpriced during this month:

\$3 Napkins, doz. \$4.50 Napkins, doz. 22-inch; heavy hemmed, mercerized. \$265 22-inch; extra heavy union linen. \$375

\$6 Napkins, doz. \$6 Napkins, doz. 22 1/2-inch Shamrock linen finished. \$485 22-inch; all linen; good weight. \$485

\$17.50 Napkins, doz. \$8.50 Napkins, doz. 26-inch and 27-inch fine Shamrock brand dinner napkins; really marvelous values.

\$1365 \$9 Napkins, doz. 23-inch; heavy and fine; all linen. \$750

Other Napkins Of all grades reduced. 75c Damask, yd. 58 inches wide and good weight. 65c

\$2.50 Damask, yd. 70-inch John S. Brown's famous linen—finished heavy damask. \$195

\$3.50 Damask, yd. Pure linen, in many designs. \$295

\$1.25 Damask, yd. 72-inch; heavy linen finished damask. \$100

(Linen; Second Floor)

## January Sales of High Grade Bedding

To make a long story short, everything in our Bedding Section bears a lower January Sale price! But to detail all the good offerings is unnecessary; here are a few leaders:

### \$6.50 Plaid Blankets

All colors; other plaids in various combinations reduced; from \$7.75 up to \$22.50, special, \$5.75 to \$19.75. Pair. \$4.75

### White Blankets

Double bed size; wool nap, wool finish; part wool and all wool.

Were \$7.50 to \$50

Now \$5.00 to \$40

### \$2.50 Pillows, Now

Emmerich's best quality; none better; none cleaner; other grades previously \$3.50 to \$15 a pair; special, \$3 to \$12. Pair. \$2.25

(Bedding; Second Floor)

## Silk Specials For Today

Plaid Taffetas—36 inches wide; good assortments of dark colors; reg. \$3, yard. \$2.50

Plaids and Stripes—35 inches wide; taffeta weaves; were \$2.50. \$2.00

35-inch width plaids and stripes in light shades for spring wear; were \$3, special, yard. \$2.50

Mikado Silk Suitings—36 inches wide; about ten pieces of these \$3.50 silks, yard. \$2.95

(Silks; Second Floor)

January White Sales

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**Market Bulletin 92**

issued about January 7th, sent free upon request.

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## YEAR IN RETROSPECT.

BY CHAPIN HALL.

The Twelfth Federal Reserve Bank has issued a review of general business conditions throughout the district that is of especial interest at the beginning of the new year. The information is compiled from reliable sources and the balance is always towards the conservative. After making every reasonable discount, the statement is of a character to bring renewed confidence to the business world.

The review finds that the prospects are excellent for good crops, except in a few sections the rainfall has been ample and far ahead of that of a year ago. The cancellation of government contracts has produced some temporary confusion, but the process of readjustment is progressing rapidly and satisfactorily. The labor situation remains without serious disturbance.

Discussing banking conditions, it is found that interest rates continue firm at 6 per cent; in industrial and 7 per cent; in agricultural centers. The Southern California district principal cities in the district totaled \$1,177,563,000, an increase of 13 per cent over the corresponding month a year ago. The Seattle showed the greatest gain, with 47 per cent, followed by Portland with 40 per cent, and Tacoma with 36 per cent.

Naturally enough, there was a decline in interest rates, but this was due entirely to war conditions, and this balance is rapidly being restored.

California and Arizona cotton crops will approximate 75,000 bales, as against 85,000 bales in 1917. An interesting sidelight on the cotton industry is found in the average cost of picking, which in the two States named was \$2 per 100 pounds of seed cotton. In 1908 the average pay in the United States was 44 cents. The California and Arizona rate is the highest in the country, Oklahoma coming next with an average of \$1.57.

The Pacific Coast hop crop shows a decided decrease, due to the embargo which has been placed upon the manufacture of beer. The crop will amount to only 50,000 bales, as against 100,000 bales in 1917. A large part of the crop has been purchased by English buyers, and is being held in the hope that its importation may be permitted.

Concerning the deciduous fruit season in California, the following comparative table of carload shipments is submitted:

	1918.	1917.
Cherries	551	295
Apples	441	403
Peaches	3,127	2,432
Plums	2,483	2,650
Pears	1,569	2,796
Grapes	14,305	13,750
Apples	821	503
Miscellaneous	77	65
Totals	28,237	24,923

Nowhere in all the long list of notable achievement in the epochal year the record more gratifying than that made by the shipbuilding. Out of a grand total of 408 ships delivered by the United States Shipping Board from August, 1917, to October, 1918, nearly one-half were built on the Pacific Coast, where 162 craft were turned over, with an

**THIRD OVER 70 YEARS.**

PASADENA, Jan. 1.—People live long (and many of them prosper) in Pasadena. Of 194 deaths here during the year 1918 more than one-third of them were persons over 70 years of age. Seventy-six were persons of 87 to 90 years of age. These figures are from municipal statistics. Officials argue that there is long life in Pasadena's climate.

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aggregate tonnage of 1,149,835. Shortage of Alaska and unexplored charter rates up to the war standard. The "new" trans-Pacific rates have averaged a triple increase, while those to Africa and points in Europe have quadrupled. Cotton, for instance, has jumped from approximately \$3 per ton in 1912 to \$50 to \$60 per ton at the present time.

Petroleum production in California averaged 2,400,000 gallons a month for the first nine months of the year, while consumption was in excess of that amount.

The Southern California fish pack shows a slight increase over that of 1917, but there is wide variance in the season. There was marked decrease in tuna, only 220,000 cases being packed in 1918, as against 240,000 cases in 1917. On the other hand, eight times as much yellowtail was packed, 50,000 cases compared with 10,000 cases in 1917.

One hundred thousand cases of Jonita was packed last year while in 1917 this pack, only amounted to 20,000 cases. Sales increased from 370,000 cases in 1917 to 575,000 cases in 1918.

The development of the rice-growing industry in California, the report continues, "has been rapid and constant during the past four years. From a total acreage in 1914 of 15,024 (thousands) planted has increased to 147,000 acres in 1918. This year's crop will approximate 2,750,000 bags of rough rice of 100 pounds each. The 1917 crop amounted to 2,500,000 bags. In spite of the fact that the present embargo of oriental rice will probably not exist in 1919, it is planned to increase greatly the present acreage.

The 1918 crop of walnuts in Southern California has been the best ever recorded, but the quality and the prices received have been the lowest. It is estimated that from 65,000 acres of groves the growers will market approximately 39,500,000 worth of nuts.

There is a remarkable trend of bond-selling activity throughout the United States at the present time, and dealers in Southern California are securing a full share of the business, which has grown from almost complete stagnation for the months immediately preceding the signing of the armistice to a volume which has necessitated increased staffs, more office room, and general expansion. In place of a select few, a quarter of the population is interested in bonds, and instead of going into the highways and byways to develop new business there is frequently a dearth of offerings to discount the bond situation. Mr. C. E. Mitchell, president of the National City Company, has said to say:

"I expect bond prices to advance. With war contracts being cancelled, business concerns all over the country will liquidate inventories. They will then pay off loans at their liabilities at the reserve banks, and the reserve banks in turn will cut down their note circulation. This is definitely anticipated. It is inevitable mean lower prices for commodities, lower interest rates, and, with the same token, higher prices for bonds."

**SOLDIER DIES OVERSEAS.**

Son of John M. Beckwith, victim of pneumonia. After recovering from wound.

John M. Beckwith, veteran newspaper man of this city, received news yesterday that his son, Private William J. Beckwith of the One Hundred and Thirty-fourth Engineers, died in France on November 28 of pneumonia. The young man was wounded at Chateau Thierry and later recovered at a hospital at Sheffield, Eng., and returned to duty.

Private Beckwith enlisted in June, 1917, at Baltimore, Md., and served a year's active service at the front. Another son, Edward J. Beckwith, is with the Marine Corps in France.

**FINLAYSON SWORN IN.**

Takes Oath as Presiding Justice of New Appeal Court, Which is to be Opened Today.

Judge Frank Finlayson last night took the oath of office as presiding justice of the Court of Appeal, Second District, Division Two. The oath was administered by Judge Jackson at the Union League Club, where, on New Year's Day, 1919, Judge Jackson will be inaugurated as the eighth chief justice of the court.

The new appellate court is to be opened this morning. The associate justices are Judge Thomas of Santa Ana and Judge Sloan of San Diego.

**FLU IS DECREASING.**

Epidemic Here Should Soon be Well Under Control, Says Health Commissioner Powers.

Only 115 cases of influenza were reported to the health department yesterday, being a marked decrease compared to the day before. While the decrease was attributed largely to the fact that the holiday many physicians delaying their reports until today, health officials declared that the showing was encouraging. While the death list has averaged around fifteen daily, the total reported yesterday was but two. Health Commissioner Powers said he believes quarantining of influenza victims is the best method to wipe out the epidemic and that resort up to date prove the assertion. It was to be expected that there would be a slight increase in the number of cases during the holidays, because of the gathering of big crowds, but that that which will result in normal conditions, the disease should now be well under control, Dr. Powers declared.

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## EMPLOYEES ARE HIS GUESTS

Spaced at tables thirty feet long, 500 employees of the Globe, Grain and Milling Company began the new year yesterday with a huge barbecue and dinner at guests of W. E. Keller, president of the company, in the new food products building of the concern at Santa Fe avenue and Fifty-second street.

Every employee of the company, from the negro workers in the oil mills and the cattle yards to the directors of the company and his wives, enjoyed the affair. The best wishes of the season were extended to Mr. Keller by his employees through the medium of a handsome loving cup, which was presented to him in their behalf by Arthur Buckley, the auditor of the company.

Two fat steaks, barbecued California style, furnished part of the gastronomic delicacies, which were prepared by twenty chefs and included several varieties of vegetables, spaghetti, California wines, and a delicious dessert. During the meal music was furnished by a ten-piece jazz band, and after it dancing was enjoyed.

In receiving the loving cup Mr. Keller said:

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5,000 due July 1, 1926	100	4.70%
5,000 due July 1, 1932	100	4.70%
5,000 due July 1, 1934	100	4.70%
2,000 CITY OF ALBANY 5s, due September 1, 1922-1929	100	4.70%
4,000 MORNINGSIDE SCHOOL DISTRICT 5s, \$100-1927-1930	100	4.70%
12,000 CITY OF COLFAX SEWER 5s, \$500 annually, 11-1-1942	100	4.70%
11,000 FREMONT SCHOOL DISTRICT 5s, \$440 annually, Aug. 5, 1918-1942	100	4.70%
20,000 CITY OF SANTA MONICA WATER 5s, due Sept. 1, 1919-1929	100	4.70%
5,000 CITY OF CHICO, 5s	100	4.70%
5,000 due October 1, 1926	100	4.70%
5,000 due October 1, 1931-1932	100	4.70%
85,000 RECLAMATION DISTRICT 100s, 5s, 1934-1938	100	4.70%
50,000 IMPERIAL IRRIGATION DISTRICT 5s, 1948-1959	100	4.70%
11,000 YOLO RECLAMATION DISTRICT 800s, 5s, 1925-1940	100	4.70%







